

TWO LOSE LIVES IN BETHEHEM FIRE

T. J. Reidy, Merchant, and O. E. Dennis Victims as Two Stores Burn

LOSS PUT AT \$150,000

Bethlehem, May 22.—Thomas J. Reidy, forty-two years old, secretary-treasurer of the United Furniture Company, and Oscar E. Dennis, thirty-two, bookkeeper, lost their lives Saturday night in a fire which badly damaged the company's stock and building.

The stock of R. B. Fleisher & Co., in the same building, was not damaged. The fire raged for hours before it was definitely known that the two men had been trapped in the burning building.

Hint Second Arrest in Bank Looting

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According to Tregay, Newlin made off with his automobile, which was owned by E. J. Baker, stock broker, with offices in the Widener Building, Philadelphia.

There have been many conflicting reports as to how the embezzlement of Newlin was brought to light. This is how it happened, according to Mr. Tregay.

Newlin came to me Thursday night and said, "I'm in bad. I've been told me all about it, and said there was nothing to do but make a clean breast of it. I was dumfounded, as I always regarded him as absolutely straight."

Newlin took nothing but cash, according to Tregay, and kept his hands off bonds or negotiable paper but every dollar taken was covered in one or two fashion. In fact, some of the investigators are speaking of him as the "master embezzler."

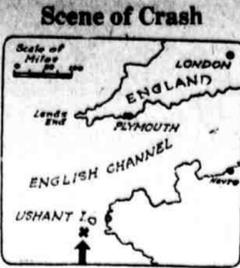
The directors say the loss cannot be more than \$170,000. In the way of assets they will get personal belongings, including Newlin's home and jewelry, valued at \$10,000 and \$30,000 from a surety bond.

The statement issued by the directors follows: "The last report called for by the Controller of the Currency showed the National Bank of Cottleville to be the richest bank in the country with more than a quarter of a million dollars. The total loss sustained cannot exceed \$170,000 and there is probability of recovering a substantial amount."

Efforts to bring about this recovery will be pushed relentlessly. Should the bank not recover a dollar it will still have surplus and undivided profits in excess of half a million dollars, and continue to lead all the banks in the country by more than \$100,000.

"I don't know just how much money I really did take," Newlin told members of the Board of Directors in the bank when he was called before and questioned for two hours.

When informed that a shortage in excess of \$200,000 had been discovered, he manifested surprise. "Is that much?" he asked, and added, "Well, perhaps it is. I kept no track of it myself."



Scene of Crash

The map shows the island of Ushant off the coast of France, near which the British liner Egypt sank Saturday night with the loss of nearly a hundred lives.

Nearly 100 Missing When Liner Sinks

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The collision in the dense fog occurred within twenty-two miles of the Ushant lighthouse. The dinner gong was about to be sounded on board the Egyptian when the vessel took her final plunge, he believed.

When the collision occurred there was a rolling sea. Some of the rescued crew members reported that they were clinging to bits of debris which he got and sank just as aid for them was at hand.

Let Go as Aid Comes

In some instances the rescuing crews came upon persons clinging to bits of debris which he got and sank just as aid for them was at hand.

Cries Tell of Catastrophe

"I saw nothing further. But then I began to hear cries of horror that told me of a catastrophe which was in progress on the stricken vessel in the fog and darkness. I found her in twenty minutes."

"She lay on her portside, ready to turn turtle. Water was pouring into her, deep tear in her side plating. Cries and wails of despair were to be heard coming from the steamer. Passengers were seen running about on the decks, as the steamer was about to go under."

"I saw a man throw himself into the sea with two little children in his arms. The shipwrecked people in the sea clung to anything that floated by. I had all my life lowered. It was particularly perilous work, for we were on the main path of vessels going from the open sea to the English Channel. I stayed at the scene of the wreck until twenty minutes after 11 o'clock Saturday night."

The Seine, badly damaged, reached Brest yesterday with twenty-nine rescued passengers and more than 200 of the crew. The Seine was bound for Havre when the disaster occurred.

Pittsburgh, May 22.—(By A. P.)—Miss Virginia Boyer, reported drowned in the liner Egypt shipwreck, was a Lutheran missionary returning to India after a furlough spent in Pittsburgh. Miss Boyer was an orphan who had been reared in the Lutheran Orphan's Home at Zellenople near here, and later became a nurse in Passavant Hospital. Her station in India was Rahmudree. The last visit to this country was occasioned by ill health.

Boston, May 22.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. M. L. Sibley, who was drowned when the liner Egypt sank, was a member of the staff of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, and had relatives in Toledo, Mrs. Sibley was a widow some thirty years of age, returning to her station in the City of Way.

CARDINAL OPENS MALVERN RETREAT

Dedicates New House With 10,000 Catholics Participating in Ceremonies

"ST. JOSEPH'S IN THE HILLS"

A beautiful country house with surroundings conducive to rest and meditation was dedicated as retreat for Catholic laymen at Malvern yesterday by Cardinal Dougherty.

The dedication of the new retreat house was a memorable occasion in the history of the archdiocese of Philadelphia as it is the first of the kind in the country, for the exclusive use of Catholic laymen in making week-end retreats.

The present retreat house is the outgrowth of a series of laymen's week-end retreats formerly conducted at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary. Overbrook since 1913, when the late John J. Ferreck fostered the idea of business and professional men giving up a portion of their time to meditation and devotion during Friday night and the following Monday morning.

Following the ceremonies of blessing, the Cardinal delivered an address to the 10,000 assembled on the lawn about the house. He dwelt upon the beauty of the site for the house and pointed out its many advantages. He asserted the establishment of the house was a step forward for the archdiocese of Philadelphia and expressed the hope the house for the male retreatants would serve as a stimulus to the women of the archdiocese to do in like manner.

Mr. Sullivan in his address stressed the point that the retreat house was not for members of the Week-end Retreat League alone, but for every Catholic man of the archdiocese and assured all that beginning on June 1st and continuing throughout the year that every man who desired to pass any Friday till Monday morning in retreat at the house would be received with open arms.

Mr. Cabrey briefly dwelt upon the necessity of the house for Catholic men in order to devote some time from their busy lives to meditation and devotion for their souls, and demonstrated the evil effects of not taking some time for this purpose.

Pinchot Primed to Clean House

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Informal gossip as the result of the conference between Pinchot and Prof. Clyde L. King, of the University of Pennsylvania. Through Prof. King, who will be a member of the Pinchot commission to study the finances and administration of the State, Pinchot will introduce the Hoover idea of efficiency into State government.

Prof. King is regarded as Pinchot as not only a professor of public finance and of political parties, but also as one of the best informed men in Pennsylvania, if not the best informed, on all kinds of practical government questions. He has worked with Hoover on a number of different commissions.

Mr. King, for example, explained an analysis of State appropriations for the last ten years which he had prepared. Let's of other work in connection with the reorganization of the State government has already been put under way by King.

The analysis of State appropriations shows how vast sums could have been saved by Pennsylvania and therefore to the taxpayers if they had been dealt with anything like decent business management.

In their conference King and Pinchot analyzed the plan that a centralization of authority at Harrisburg and a centralization of State functions and not local or county functions, thereby eliminating duplications and overlapping, would save tremendous amounts of money in inefficiency and extravagance. Standardization of purchases, of materials, even of stationery, and of a host of other things used by the State, to say nothing of a standardization of jobs and salaries, would save hundreds of thousands now absolutely lost in big and little political jobs and in political sinecures and what not.

State Annals. In the way one of the conferees described the results which could be brought about by a thorough reorganization of the State Government.

mitter: Mrs. Mary Ellen Lawrence, of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. John O. Miller, chairman of the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters, who was a member of the Commission of Reorganization of the State, which was authorized by the last Legislature.

Among the men, of course, will be Dr. King and possibly such men as Frederick P. Greenberg, director of the Bureau of Municipal Research of Philadelphia, and Franklin N. Brewer, president of the Pennsylvania State Association, which has already drafted a plan of reorganization, which is among the programs being studied by the candidate.

Pinchot himself will virtually be a member of the commission and will work, lead and direct its work. There is nothing nebulous about the plan of the commission. Pinchot says he knows just what he wants and that he will get what he wants. He wants the facts so that Pennsylvania's government will be reorganized on a business basis.

In carrying on his campaign and working out his constructive program the candidate proposes to win support not only as a candidate for Governor, but for his new administrative program. In so doing he will be appealing to the people directly for support, and he does not see how the legislators will be able to help him.

In this way control of the Legislature will be settled by the Republican voters and the people generally rather than by himself or the old line political leaders. It means, from the Pinchot point of view, not only a square deal, but a new deal in Pennsylvania politics and Pennsylvania government.

Pinchot will not go to Governor Sproul's dinner at Harrisburg tonight. There may be political significance in this. At any rate, it was indicated, that he would not be invited and not being led by the political leaders.

The defeat of all "wet" candidates was characterized by the speaker as "one of the most encouraging signs of the times." He praised the Supreme Court's decision last week forbidding the shipments of liquor from one country to another through the United States. He predicted that when the bonded liquor is concentrated in 100 warehouses instead of 304 a shortage of several million gallons will be disclosed for which the bondsmen will be responsible.

The defeat of the beer and wine candidates," said Mr. Wheeler, "in Pennsylvania who tried to replace those who were voted for in the enforcement act, is one of the most encouraging signs of the times. It shows that the people do not take this beer and wine propaganda as seriously as the wets do."

Pinchot's Victory Mounts

With Some Districts Missing, Plurality Now Is 15,406

Additional returns received from several additional counties today increased Gifford Pinchot's lead over Attorney General A. L. Hoover in the nomination for Governor to 15,406. Figures from all but eighty-four districts in the State gave Pinchot a total of 50,757 and Hoover 35,351.

The figures include the official count in thirty-three of the sixty-seven counties and the complete, but unofficial, count in most of the others. Of the missing districts four are in Armstrong County, one in Dauphin, two in Franklin, seven in Lackawanna, five in Lawrence, eighteen in Luzerne, twenty-two in Schuylkill, one in Somerset and eight in Venango.

For the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor Robert E. Patterson, Jr., is leading Charles D. McAvoy by nearly 10,000 in the thirty-six counties from which returns have been received. The vote stands: Patterson, 35,206; McAvoy, 26,308.

MAN BEATEN AND ROBBED

Deal Beach Contractor Awakes in Swamp Minus Bankroll

HARRIS APPAREL OF THE BETTER KIND Chestnut Corner Twelfth A DIFFERENT KIND OF STORE

Entire "Harris" Collection of High Priced Gowns Reduced 1/4 to 1/2 of Original Low Prices

Smart Wool Sweaters—Special Slip over sweaters in attractive plaids and all wanted plain colors. Exceptional. 4.95

WHEELER CALLS PINCHOT VICTORY BLOW TO WETS Predicts Law to Harmonize With Volstead Act

A prohibition law in harmony with the main provisions of the Volstead act was predicted by Wayne H. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, in an address at Calvary Lutheran Church last night.

For Tuesday—a Sale of High-Grade Sweaters and Scarfs at Genuine Savings

These special prices on Sweaters are for Tuesday only; no mail or telephone orders; none sent C. O. D. or on approval.

Women's \$22.50 and \$25.00 Heavy Pure Silk Sweaters for \$18.75

Women's \$12.00 Fiber-Silk Sweaters for \$10.00

Women's \$10.00 Fiber-Silk Sweaters for \$8.00

Women's \$7.50 Slip-Overs for \$6.00

Women's \$4.85 Mohair Slip-Overs—\$4.00

Women's \$15.00 Sweaters for \$13.00

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Another Shipment of Those Handsome Dresses for Women Which Went So Fast at:

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Links Stansbury in Downfall

Bandholtz to Testify for Blizzard Defense

Lawyers Hope to Strengthen Alibi for Man Accused of Treason

Chicago Homes Guarded

ASTORS SAIL TOMORROW

Viscountess to Make Final Speech in New York on Impressions of U. S.

Two Others Hurdled From Speeding Car in Amusement Park May Die

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Ram Attacks Woman

Envelope Chemise—10 pretty styles fashioned of batiste in white or pink; exceptionally well finished. And only \$1.00!

Crepe or Batiste Bloomers, edged with filet lace, flesh color or white—\$1.00.

Charmousette Costume Slips, top and straps edged with filet—\$2.95.